

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	) Group Art Unit: 2616
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Jean Philippe Vasseur, et al.	) Examiner: Gary Mui
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Application No. 10/719,003	) Confirmation No.: 9075
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Filed: November 21, 2003	)
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For: Method and Apparatus for Determining Network	)
Routing Information Based on Shared Risk Link	)
Group Information	)
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**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

This is in reply to the Final Office Action mailed November 23, 2007, the shortened statutory period for which runs until February 23, 2008. Submitted herewith is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) along with the appropriate fee. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the subject application in light of the amendments and remarks herein.